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PATENT APPLICATION

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Applicants: Weenna Bucay Couto et al.

Application No. 09/911,051

Filed: July 23, 2001

Title: LONG-TERM INDWELLING MEDICAL DEVICES  
CONTAINING SLOW-RELEASING ANTIMICROBIAL  
AGENTS AND HAVING A SURFACTANT SURFACE

Art Unit: 3763

Examiner: Catherine Serke Williams

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RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 5, 2004, please consider the following remarks: